

# Comparisons of Job Characteristics

**Focus Occupation:** [Medical Equipment Repairers \(49-9062\)](#)

**Associated Occupation:** [Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers \(49-9061\)](#)

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<<	Focus occupation element is much lower
<	Focus occupation element is lower
0	Focus occupation element is at a similar level
>	Focus occupation element is at a higher level
>>	Focus occupation element is at a much higher level

## Knowledge

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 92

**Focus Occupation:** Medical Equipment Repairers (49-9062)

**Associated Occupation:** Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers (49-9061)

Associated Occupation's Key Knowledge Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Mechanical	6.8	15.0	13.9	0	Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Computers and Electronics	8.4	14.2	15.0	0	Current knowledge level may be sufficient
Engineering and Technology	5.7	9.3	14.0	>>	Current knowledge level is likely more than sufficient
Design	5.2	6.4	7.2	>	Current knowledge level is likely sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## Skills

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 83

**Focus Occupation:** Medical Equipment Repairers (49-9062)

**Associated Occupation:** Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers (49-9061)

Associated Occupation's Key Skills Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Repairing	3.4	13.5	13.2	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Troubleshooting	4.5	12.5	12.9	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Quality Control Analysis	5.9	11.5	11.4	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Equipment Maintenance	3.5	11.0	13.9	>	Skill level is likely sufficient
Equipment Selection	3.3	10.1	10.2	0	Current skill level may be sufficient
Technology Design	2.6	6.4	4.1	<<	Extensive development of skills in this area may be required

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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## Abilities

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 93

**Focus Occupation: Medical Equipment Repairers (49-9062)**

**Associated Occupation: Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers (49-9061)**

Associated Occupation's Key Abilities Elements	Average Rating, All Occupations	Associated Occupation's Rating	Focus Occupation's Rating		Evaluation of Focus Occupation
Finger Dexterity	7.6	12.2	12.8	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Visualization	7.5	12.1	12.2	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Arm-Hand Steadiness	6.8	11.5	10.0	<	Some improvement in abilities may be required
Control Precision	6.6	9.5	10.5	>	Current ability level is likely sufficient
Manual Dexterity	6.5	9.5	10.3	0	Current ability level may be sufficient
Visual Color Discrimination	6.4	9.0	9.4	0	Current ability level may be sufficient

The maximum possible rating is 25.

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## Activities that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus Occupation to Associated Occupation: 88

**Focus Occupation: Medical Equipment Repairers (49-9062)**

**Associated Occupation: Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers (49-9061)**

Work Activities	Exclusivity of Activity
Apply cleaning solvents	41
Calibrate or adjust electronic equipment or instruments to specification	67
Determine installation, service, or repair needed	58
Distinguish colors	44
Fabricate, assemble, or disassemble manufactured products by hand	11
Install electronic equipment, components, or systems	62
Install or replace meters, regulators, or related measuring or control devices	66
Lubricate machinery, equipment, or parts	59
Modify electrical or electronic equipment or products	74
Perform safety inspections in industrial, manufacturing or repair setting	32
Read blueprints	10
Read schematics	34
Read technical drawings	7
Read work order, instructions, formulas, or processing charts	9
Repair or replace electrical wiring, circuits, fixtures, or equipment	49
Solder electrical or electronic connections or components	55
Test electrical/electronic wiring, equipment, systems or fixtures	54
Understand service or repair manuals	40
Understand technical operating, service or repair manuals	6
Use hand or power tools	2
Use knowledge of metric system	39
Use soldering equipment	44

Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily perform all of the listed activities. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the activity is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations engage in that activity.

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section analysis of O\*NET (Occupation Information Network) data.

## Tools and Technologies that Both Occupations Have in Common

Similarity of Focus  
Occupation to Associated  
Occupation: n/a

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**Associated Occupation: Camera and Photographic Equipment Repairers (49-9061)**

Tools and Technologies	Exclusivity
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Tools and technology data is unavailable for one or both occupations.	
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Not all positions in these occupations will necessarily use all of the listed tools and technologies. The exclusivity rating is an indication of how unique the tool or technology is amongst all occupations. The maximum rating is 100. High scores indicate that only a small number of occupations use that tool or technology.

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